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## PATENT APPLICATION

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Title: ELECTRONIC CAMERA AND BATTERY VOLTAGE CONTROLLING

METHOD EMPLOYED THEREIN FOR SUCCESSIVELY, RATHER THAN

SIMULTANEOUSLY, OPERATING CAMERA PORTIONS DURING CONDITIONS OF LOW BATTERY VOLTAGE (as amended)

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Washington, D.C. 20231

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Respectfully submitted,

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